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## DEMAND PEABODY

### Entire Democratic Party and a Great Number of Republicans Want Him for United States Senator

### Able, Popular and a Born Leader, He Would Make a Great Representative of the Prairie State

Francis Stuyvesant Peabody for United States senator.

That is the battle cry the democrats of Illinois will enter the arena in 1920 with—and win.

Peabody is great in every way. He will be the greatest United States senator that Illinois has had since Shelby M. Cullom died.

His nomination will mean his election and he will get over a third of the republican vote and all of the democratic vote.

All factions of the Democratic party are with him and the people already hail Peabody as a certain winner.

### CHICAGO ELECTION BILLS

Voting 102 to 6 the house Tuesday passed the senate bill providing for nonpartisan elections of aldermen in Chicago. It now goes back to the senate for concurrence in house amendments. The senate advanced to third reading the Dahl bill proposing fifty wards in Chicago. The house advanced to third reading the Austin bill prohibiting fraternities and sororities in high schools. By 134 to 4 the house re-ratified the federal woman suffrage amendment. The house ratified the amendment last week, but an error was discovered. The senate concurred, 48 to 0.

### STEFFEN KEEPS UP GOOD WORK

Alderman Walter P. Steffen, chairman of the police committee, started his drive on special details and "soft berths" filled by men who are carried on the pay roll of the police department as crime detectors.

Recommendations were sent to Chief of Police John J. Garrity by the aldermanic police committee, requesting that twenty-one detective sergeants be sent back to the detective bureau to do detective work. Two of the men have been attached to Corporation Eitelson's office, six are on the "bank detail," six have been on duty watching for pickpockets and shoplifters in the State street stores, six detectives and one lieutenant have been on the "morals squad."

"These are the first of the special details to fall," said Alderman Steffen. "It was brought to my attention that out of the 186 detectives assigned to the detective bureau only forty-six have been actually engaged in detective work. I am opposed to having a man appear on the books as working in a certain precinct when as a matter of fact he is on duty elsewhere. If a man is taken from Hyde Park for three months' duty on the Municipal Pier, he should not be charged up against Hyde Park. There is too much camouflage, preventing any accurate check on the work being done by the police."

### SAUERMAN'S

Well Known Restaurant Will Continue Without Buffet Attachment After July 1—John Fehn's Reminiscences.

Sauerman's restaurant, at Ohio and North Clark streets, is the oldest restaurant in the city, and one of the finest.

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restaurant in the city, and one of the finest.

The saloon fixtures in the buffet section are the finest and costliest in Chicago.

It was founded by John Fehn, whose name is a household word on the North Side. A reporter for the Herald-Examiner asked Mr. Fehn about the whisky situation.

"Let them take away whisky, but it would be shameful to deprive a man of his glass of beer after a hard day's work."

This is the summary of what John Fehn, Chicago's pioneer saloonkeeper, had to say about July 1, Fehn, who recently celebrated his 83rd birthday, was the first to open a saloon in Chicago. In 1860 he opened a barroom across the street from the present City Hall building.

Four years later he moved to the southwest corner of Ohio and Clark streets. Since the saloon was established there in 1864, Fehn has always kept the saloon front painted white.

Though Fehn gave up active management to his son-in-law, Thomas J. Sauerman, several years ago, he is to be found there most of the time.

"As a talker I think I'd make a better saloonkeeper," said Fehn, "but when you ask about July 1, then I have only this to say: Let them take away whisky. That stuff never did any one any good. But we must have our beer and light wines."

Sauerman told the reporter that, should the country go bone dry, he would still conduct the restaurant, which, since its opening has become famous. Should beer and light wines be permitted, he said, the interior will remain the same as when the saloon opened fifty-five years ago.

### CHIEF TOM O'CONNOR

Popular Fire Marshal Deserves Credit for Good Condition of the Chicago Department.

There is no more popular official in Chicago than Big Tom O'Connor, the able and genial chief of the Chicago fire department.

The department was never in better shape than it is today and it has the confidence and approval of the board of underwriters and of the best business men and citizens generally. The people wish Chief O'Connor a long lease of official life.

### GOOD BY SALOONS

Many Big Down Town Places to Quit July 1—Others Will Sell Soft Drinks.

Most of the down town saloons will go out of business July 1. Others will sell soft drinks and continue at the old stand.

Dow B. Lewis, 114 North Dearborn street, is another pioneer saloonman who will continue with soft drinks. "If they had run the place I did there'd be no prohibition," he said. Lewis' place has long been noted for its great collection of works of art and curios. Its patronage numbered the best men in Chicago.

Dan Wall, 40 North Dearborn street, is another who will try to make the impotent draughts pay the high rent in the Real Estate building. The building's other saloon is destined to be a restaurant.

Among well known down town places where a "For Rent" sign will beckon memories to the thirsty may be the Chapin & Gore barroom of the Majestic Theater building, the taproom of the Republic building, and the Marine bar on Dearborn street. The places are not leased as yet. Many others are expecting a final reprieve of the business, but more are not.

Of the larger buildings occupied by

liquor interests, the Steuben County Wine Company, 215 West Madison street, has the most pretentious quarters. The leasing agents already have a tenant, said to be eager to pay the figure the wine company does for the lease.

The Newcomb Optical company has

### MacMILLAN RETIRES

Courteous, Able and Popular Clerk of the United States District Court for Thirty Years Resigns.

Takes a Well-Earned Rest and Has the Best Wishes of Bench, Bar and Public.

After nearly a quarter of a century of continuous service as clerk of the United States District Court for the Northern District of Illinois, Thomas C. MacMillan will retire on June 30. His resignation was handed in several months ago to the judges who, under the law, appoint the clerk. Mr. MacMillan was first appointed by former Judge Grosscup, and was continued under Judges Kohlsaat, Bethea, Landis and Carpenter. He is the senior district clerk in Illinois. Before he became clerk he was connected for twenty-four years with Chicago newspapers as reporter, Indian war correspondent, and editor. He has been a traveler and writer. He was a charter member of the Chicago Press club. He expects now to take a long and well-earned vacation. After that he will devote himself to his books and to writing. His acquaintance with public men and events will furnish him with materials for reminiscences which may find their way into permanent literary form.

## UPHAM HEADS IT

### Great Committee Appointed by Chicago Association of Commerce to Bring 1920 Republican Convention Here

### Illinois Legislature Passes Bill for Construction of Big Permanent National Convention Hall in Chicago

Fred W. Upham heads a committee named by the Chicago Association of Commerce to get the republican national convention for Chicago. In fact, this city will make a bid for the two big conventions. The republican national committee will select the convention city at its meeting to be held

George M. Spangler, Robert W. Stewart, B. E. Sunny, Louis F. Swift, Thomas E. Wilson and William Wrigley, Jr.

Indianapolis, Ind., and Cleveland, O., are bidding hard for the Democratic convention. The Republicans are rather in the habit of holding their convention in Chicago, and Chairman Upham is expected not to let it get away from him this time.

### CHICAGO'S NATIONAL CONVENTION HALL

Chicago got its municipal convention hall bill through Tuesday's action of the senate in agreeing to the house bill. The bill now goes to Gov. Lowden for approval.

The bill authorizes the city council to issue bonds under a referendum for the construction of a great convention hall. The terms of the bill require that the location shall be either on the west or the northwest side. It is forbidden that the hall shall be on the lake front.

### JUDGE STELK'S COMMANDMENTS

Popular Judge of the Speeders' Court Lays Down a Decalogue for Auto Owners and Drivers.

Judge John Stelk of the Speeders' court has asked Ald. Joseph L. Novak to introduce an ordinance into the council providing that a booklet containing the speed laws be given by the city clerk with each car license. Judge Stelk will endeavor to present the same plan to the state legislature so that every motorist will receive a copy of the state laws with his license number.

In all probability the book will be arranged in the form of "commandments" to speeders. The principal ones will be ten in number, as follows:

- "Thou shalt not:  
"1. Drive more than twenty-five miles an hour on any country road.  
"2. Drive more than twelve miles an hour on the outskirts of any city or village.  
"3. Drive more than fifteen miles an hour in any residence district.  
"4. Drive more than ten miles an hour in business districts.  
"5. Drive more than six miles an hour around corners.  
"6. Drive more than six miles an hour while approaching railroad crossings.  
"7. Turn to left of a street car standing or moving and go between the car and the curb while passengers are getting on or off.  
"8. Park longer than the law allows.  
"Thou shalt:  
"9. Stop at all boulevards and railroad crossings.  
"10. Drive only when in perfect mental and physical condition."
- Other commandments, such as "Thou shalt not try to fool the judge" and warnings of like significance will be added.

### CHICAGO BILLS WIN AT SPRINGFIELD

The Chicago bond bills won a distinct victory in the house and now appear to be on the high road to enactment. The house, without dissent, advanced the corner stone bill of the series to third reading, and it will be ready for passage tomorrow. Eight of the subsidiary bills were advanced at the same time, and all of the rest, amended to comply with all requirements of the situation, were

reported favorably from the house committee on revenue.

This action came rather unexpectedly, in view of statements that the fight against them was to be staged on the proposal to advance senate bill 385 to the third reading calendar.

The failure of all opposition was accepted as the crumbling of the antagonism to the program that means that Chicago will get an additional bonding power of \$27,500,000 for permanent improvements, as outlined by the Chicago Plan commission.

### GREAT PIANO RECITAL

The Oscar Dies School Will Hold a Summer School During the Whole of the Month of July.

Some of the greatest and best known masters of the piano forte in the United States are graduates of a famous Chicago institution—the Oscar Dies School in the McClurg building. Oscar Dies, the president, is famous for his success in teaching artistic piano playing, and many persons will take advantage of the fact that the Oscar Dies School will hold a summer school during July to perfect their education in this charming accomplishment.

The students of the Oscar Dies Piano School will give a recital at the Lyon & Healy Concert Hall, Monday evening, June 24, at 8 p. m. Following is the program:

- Beethoven—"Adagio" from Sonata, Grandos Opus 36—A la Cubana, Adrienne Hecht.
- Haendel—Gigue, Allemande, Moszkowski Opus 17 No. 3—Concert Waltz, Hannah Schumann.
- A. A. Oberndorfer Op. 6—Play of the Waters, Edgar Thorne (MacDowell) in Lifting Rhythm, Leonard Goldstein.
- Rachmaninof—Prelude, Florence Polkovitz.
- Two Planos—Arensky Opus 15—Valse, Aubert Opus 6—Berceuse, Alr de Ballet, Rezella Goldstone and Marvin Brook.
- MacDowell Opus 51 No. 4—By a Meadow Brook.
- MacDowell Opus 55 No. 4—Starlight. The stars are but the cherubs That sing about the throne Of gray old Ocean's spouse Fair Moon's pale majesty.
- MacDowell Opus 55 No. 2—From a Wandering Iceberg.
- An errant princess of the North A virgin snowy white Sails down the Summer seas To realms of burning light.
- Moszkowski Opus 72—Concert Etude, Sylvia Wolf.
- Saent & Sene—Scherzo from Concerto, Evelyn Ewart.
- Bach G minor (Vol II W. T. C.)—Prelude & Fugue, Friedman—"Music Box, Alkan Opus 15 No. 2—A Concert Study "The Wind," Marvin Brook.
- MacDowell Opus 17—Witches' Dance, Beach—Scottish Legend, Chopin C sharp minor—Scherzo, Rezella Goldstone.

### CY DE VRY IS ALL RIGHT

Cy De Vry is one of the main assets of Chicago. As head of the Lincoln Park zoo he has won a high place in the regard of the people. The zoo is Chicago's greatest attraction, summer and winter, and Cy is the right man to keep it attractive.

Who gets the benefit of the Public Service Departments Utility extractions?

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FRANCIS STUYVESANT PEABODY.  
Popular and Able Chicagoan Who Will Succeed Lawrence Y. Sherman in the United States Senate if He Becomes a Candidate for the Place.

### SIGN OF THE TEETH

An Alderman Proposes a Fitting Symbol for the Department of Public Service.

A well known alderman suggests that a double set of teeth, similar to some Halsted street dentist signs be adopted as a symbol for the Chicago Department of Public Service.

The alderman does not say whether the teeth are to be used on public utilities or on the public itself.

### WHO IS IT?

Is anyone connected with the City Department of Public Service interested in any sanitary district contracts?

In Washington in December, and in the meantime the local committee will lay wires to rally a majority of the national leaders in favor of Chicago, which is said to be the first city to put in a bid to entertain the republican national convention of 1920.

The following is the committee that is expected to win out for Chicago as the big convention city of the nation: Fred W. Upham, chairman; Eugene Byfield, Joseph Byfield, H. M. Byllesby, A. Sheldon Clark, R. T. Crane, Jr., Rufus C. Daves, George W. Dixon, John B. Drake, Louis Eckstein, Evan A. Evans, Capt. Marshall Field, George W. Folds, George F. Getz, A. W. Goodrich, E. R. Graham, A. S. Hubbard, Edward Kines, Samuel Insull, S. R. Kaufman, D. F. Kelly, L. B. Kuppenheimer, Robert R. McCormick, Arthur Meeker, Harry H. Merriek, James A. Patten, Col. W. N. Pelouze, George F. Porter, George M. Reynolds, Julius Rosenwald, J. Harry Seitz, James Simpson, Edwin W. Sims,